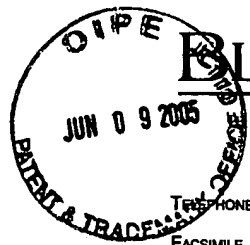


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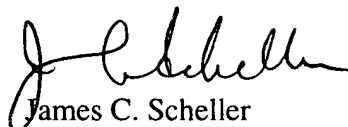
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In Claim #22, Line #5, please delete "first.RTL" and insert - - first RTL - -.

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